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SUBJ: GNZ PROTESTS CHINESE NUCLEAR TEST

IN PRESS STATEMENT ISSUED AFTERNOON JUNE 19 PRIMIN KIRK
DEPLORED NEWS THAT PRC HAD CONDUCTED A LARGE SCALE
NUCLEAR TEST IN THE ATMOSPHERE. PRIMIN SAID QUOTE OUR
EMBASSY IN PEKING IS BEING INSTRUCTED TO REITERATE TO
THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT NEW ZEALAND'S STRONG OPPOSITION
TO ATMOSPHERIC NUCLEAR TESTING AND OUR CONVICTION
THAT SUCH ACTIVITIES ARE A VIOLATION OF INTERNATIONAL
LAW END QTE. IN HIS STATEMENT THE PRIME MINISTER
CALLED FOR AN EARLY END TO ALL NUCLEAR TESTS IN ALL
ENVIRONMENTS AND EXPRESSED THE WISH THAT THE PARTIAL
TEST BAN TREATY BE UNIVERSALLY OBSERVED. KIRK CALLED
ON THE CHINESE GOVERNMENT TO RESPOND TO THE WISH OF
THE WORLD COMMUNITY THAT IT PARTICIPATE IN INTERNATIONAL
MEASURES FOR DISARMAMENT AND PROMOTE FUTURE MOVEMENT
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